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RE: Your matter number: MUR 4984

Dear Sir/Madam:

This letter is in response to the complaint filed against Premiere Technologies, Inc. (now known as PTEK Holdings, Inc.) (the "Company") accusing the Company of improper campaign contributions to Michael J. Rogers and the Rogers for Congress Committee (together "Rogers"). The Company and its wholly owned subsidiary which provided the services, Xpedite Systems, Inc. (hereinafter collectively "Premiere"), did not make any contributions or donations, whether cash or in-kind, to Rogers, and in fact did not even provide the services to Rogers.

After performing an investigation, we found that a customer of Premiere used the cited fax broadcast services to promote a campaign event. The customer is American Insurance Association ("AIA") located at 1130 Connecticut Avenue, N.W. Ste. 1000, Washington, D.C. 20036. As you will find in the enclosed documentation, AIA has a standing account with Premiere and pays the bills that it incurs with Premiere.

We have enclosed several relevant documents documenting that AIA used Premiere's services on the cited dates at a cost equal to the cited contribution amounts and that AIA paid these amounts for the services. Three invoices show the charges to AIA, and an account payment history shows that AIA remitted payment for each of the charges.

The Michigan Republican Party confirmed to us that AIA used the cited services to promote an event for Rogers. Premiere did not contribute or donate these services to Rogers, but did provide the services to AIA and collected amounts billed to AIA. Should you have any questions or require additional information please call me at (404) 487-8133.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads 'Shornden McCloud'.

Shornden McCloud
Associate Corporate Counsel

enclosures: Account Payment History
Invoices

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